

Re: Proceeding 02-278

We are currently benefiting from Indiana's telephone privacy rule, which we believe is superior to the proposed federal rule. We benefit greatly from the privacy we have had since this rule went into effect. Our family time is now for family and is not interrupted every 10 minutes with unwanted and intrusive if not downright offensive solicitations. We believe Hoosiers know what's best for Hoosiers and feel that if there is to be federal legislation it should only apply to states that have less protection for consumers and not more. Indiana's law is very effective and perhaps ought to be adopted as the federal standard. If not, we should be allowed to set our own standards. Thank you for your time.
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